

Blocks & declarations

For now: let's look at declarations of variables:

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$$S \in \text{Stmt} ::= \dots \mid \text{begin } D_V \ S \ \text{end}$$
$$D_V \in \text{VDecl} ::= \text{var } x; D_V \mid \varepsilon$$

Denotational semantics is presented.

Operational/natural semantics follow similar ideas, adjusting the definition of configurations, and perhaps notation.

Locations

We have identified two roles of variables:

- identifiers, as used in programs
- names for memory cells, where values are stored

To separate them, the structure of the semantic domains has to be changed.

Splitting states into
environments and *stores*

$$\mathbf{Int} = \{0, 1, -1, 2, -2, \dots\}$$

$$\mathbf{Bool} = \{\mathbf{tt}, \mathbf{ff}\}$$

$$\mathbf{VEnv} = \mathbf{Var} \rightarrow (\mathbf{Loc} + \{\mathbf{??}\})$$

$$\mathbf{Store} = \mathbf{Loc} \rightarrow (\mathbf{Int} + \{\mathbf{??}\})$$

combine: $\mathbf{VEnv} \times \mathbf{Store} \rightarrow \mathbf{State}$

$$\text{combine}(\rho_V, s) = \lambda x: \mathbf{Var}. s(\rho_V(x))$$

Inaccurate, but right...

Semantic functions

$\mathcal{N}: \text{Num} \rightarrow \text{Int}$

$\mathcal{E}: \text{Exp} \rightarrow \underbrace{\text{VEnv} \rightarrow \text{Store}}_{\text{EXP}} \rightarrow (\text{Int} + \{\text{??}\})$

$\mathcal{B}: \text{BExp} \rightarrow \underbrace{\text{VEnv} \rightarrow \text{Store}}_{\text{BEXP}} \rightarrow (\text{Bool} + \{\text{??}\})$

and then for instance

$$\mathcal{E}[x] = \lambda \rho_V: \text{VEnv}. \lambda s: \text{Store}. \text{ifte}(\rho_V x = \text{??}, \text{??}, \text{ifte}(s(\rho_V x) = \text{??}, \text{??}, s(\rho_V x)))$$

$$\mathcal{E}[e_1 + e_2] = \lambda \rho_V: \text{VEnv}. \lambda s: \text{Store}. \text{ifte}(\mathcal{E}[e_1] \rho_V s = \text{??}, \text{??},$$

$$\text{ifte}(\mathcal{E}[e_2] \rho_V s = \text{??}, \text{??},$$

$$\mathcal{E}[e_1] \rho_V s + \mathcal{E}[e_2] \rho_V s))$$

Looks horrible!
Reads even worse!

Bits of notation

- (re)move lambda-abstraction
- use **where**-notation, **let**-notation, explicit **if-then**-notation, etc
- assume that errors ?? propagate

Then:

$$\mathcal{E}[x] \rho_V s = s l \text{ where } l = \rho_V x$$

$$\mathcal{E}[e_1 + e_2] \rho_V s = n_1 + n_2 \text{ where } n_1 = \mathcal{E}[e_1] \rho_V s, n_2 = \mathcal{E}[e_2] \rho_V s$$

Relate this to the previous semantics using combine

Write down all the other rules for \mathcal{E} and \mathcal{B} .
Spell out their exact meaning expanding all the notations in use.

Statements

One could work with “big states”

$$\mathcal{S}: \text{Stmt} \rightarrow \underbrace{\text{VEnv} \times \text{Store}}_{\text{STMT}} \rightharpoonup (\text{VEnv} \times \text{Store} + \{\text{??}\})$$

BUT:

Statements do not modify the environment!

Hence:

$$\mathcal{S}: \text{Stmt} \rightarrow \underbrace{\text{VEnv}}_{\text{STMT}} \rightharpoonup \text{Store} \rightharpoonup (\text{Store} + \{\text{??}\})$$

$$S[S]_{\rho_V}: \text{Store} \rightharpoonup (\text{Store} + \{\text{??}\})$$

- environments flow “statically”, following program block structure
- stores change “dynamically”, following program execution

Semantic clauses

$\mathcal{S}[x := e] \rho_V s = s[l \mapsto n]$ where $l = \rho_V x, n = \mathcal{E}[e] \rho_V s$

$\mathcal{S}[\text{skip}] \rho_V s = s$

$\mathcal{S}[S_1; S_2] \rho_V s = \mathcal{S}[S_2] \rho_V s_1$ where $s_1 = \mathcal{S}[S_1] \rho_V s$

$\mathcal{S}[\text{if } b \text{ then } S_1 \text{ else } S_2] \rho_V s = \text{let } v = \mathcal{B}[b] \rho_V s \text{ in}$
 $\quad \quad \quad \text{if } v = \text{tt} \text{ then } \mathcal{S}[S_1] \rho_V s$
 $\quad \quad \quad \text{if } v = \text{ff} \text{ then } \mathcal{S}[S_2] \rho_V s$

$\mathcal{S}[\text{while } b \text{ do } S] \rho_V s = \text{let } v = \mathcal{B}[b] \rho_V s \text{ in}$
 $\quad \quad \quad \text{if } v = \text{ff} \text{ then } s$
 $\quad \quad \quad \text{if } v = \text{tt} \text{ then } \mathcal{S}[\text{while } b \text{ do } S] \rho_V s'$
 $\quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \text{where } s' = \mathcal{S}[S] \rho_V s$

fixed-point equation for
 $\mathcal{S}[\text{while } b \text{ do } S] \rho_V$
 in $\text{Store} \rightarrow (\text{Store} + \{\text{?}\})$

Relate this to the previous semantics using combine

More compact version

Relying on propagation of errors ?? to be also built into composition of (partial) functions from \mathbf{Store} to $\mathbf{Store} + \{\text{??}\}$:

$$\mathcal{S}[x := e] \rho_V s = s[l \mapsto n] \text{ where } l = \rho_V x, n = \mathcal{E}[e] \rho_V s$$

$$\mathcal{S}[\text{skip}] \rho_V = id_{\mathbf{Store}}$$

$$\mathcal{S}[S_1; S_2] \rho_V = \mathcal{S}[S_1] \rho_V ; \mathcal{S}[S_2] \rho_V$$

$$\mathcal{S}[\text{if } b \text{ then } S_1 \text{ else } S_2] \rho_V = cond(\mathcal{B}[b] \rho_V, \mathcal{S}[S_1] \rho_V, \mathcal{S}[S_2] \rho_V)$$

$$\mathcal{S}[\text{while } b \text{ do } S] \rho_V = cond(\mathcal{B}[b] \rho_V, \mathcal{S}[S] \rho_V ; \mathcal{S}[\text{while } b \text{ do } S] \rho_V, id_{\mathbf{Store}})$$

The missing clause for blocks in a moment

Declarations modify environments

$$\mathcal{D}_V : \mathbf{VDecl} \rightarrow \underbrace{\mathbf{VEnv} \rightarrow \mathbf{Store}}_{\mathbf{VDECL}} \rightarrow (\mathbf{VEnv} \times \mathbf{Store} + \{\text{??}\})$$

$$\mathcal{D}_V[\varepsilon] \rho_V s = \langle \rho_V, s \rangle$$

$$\mathcal{D}_V[\mathbf{var} \ x; D_V] \rho_V s = \mathcal{D}_V[D_V] \rho'_V s'$$

where $l = newloc(s)$, $\rho'_V = \rho_V[x \mapsto l]$, $s' = s[l \mapsto ??]$

Trouble: We want $newloc : \mathbf{Store} \rightarrow \mathbf{Loc}$ to yield a new, unused location. This cannot be defined under the definitions given so far. Solution: more information in stores is needed to determine used and unused locations.

Simple solution

Take:

$$\mathbf{Loc} = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$$

Add to each store a pointer to the next unused location:

$$\mathbf{Store} = (\mathbf{Loc} + \{next\}) \rightarrow (\mathbf{Int} + \{\text{?}\})$$

Semantic clauses then:

$$\mathcal{D}_V[\varepsilon] \rho_V s = \langle \rho_V, s \rangle$$

$$\mathcal{D}_V[\mathbf{var} \ x; D_V] \rho_V s =$$

$$\mathcal{D}_V[D_V] \rho'_V s' \text{ where } l = s \text{ next}, \rho'_V = \rho_V[x \mapsto l], s' = s[l \mapsto \text{?}, \text{next} \mapsto l + 1]$$

Semantics of blocks

$$\mathcal{S}[\text{begin } D_V \ S \ \text{end}] \rho_V s = \mathcal{S}[S] \rho'_V s' \text{ where } \langle \rho'_V, s' \rangle = \mathcal{D}_V[D_V] \rho_V s$$

*The scope of a declaration is the block it occurs in
with holes resulting from redeclarations of the same variable within it*

For instance

begin var y ; **var** x ; $x := 1$; **begin var** x ; $y := 2$; $x := 5$ **end**; $y := x$ **end**

may be marked as follows to indicate the relevant declarations:

begin **var** y ; **var** x ; $x := 1$; **begin** **var** x ; $y := 2$; $x := 5$ **end**; $y := x$ **end**

Procedures

naming statements/blocks
for multiple use

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$$S \in \text{Stmt} ::= \dots \mid \text{begin } D_V \ D_P \ S \ \text{end} \mid \text{call } p$$
$$D_V \in \text{VDecl} ::= \text{var } x; D_V \mid \varepsilon$$
$$D_P \in \text{PDecl} ::= \text{proc } p \ \text{is } (S); D_P \mid \varepsilon$$

- binding of global variables
- recursion

Binding of global variables

Static binding

```
begin var y;  
    var x;  
    proc p is ( $x := 1$ );  
    begin var x;  
         $x := 3$ ;  
        call p;  
         $y := x$   
    end  
end
```

Dynamic binding

```
begin var y;  
    var x;  
    proc p is ( $x := 1$ );  
    begin var x;  
         $x := 3$ ;  
        call p; %% with  $x$   
         $y := x$   
    end  
end
```

Semantic domains and functions

Dynamic binding

$$\mathbf{PEnv} = \mathbf{IDE} \rightarrow (\mathbf{PROC}_0 + \{\text{??}\})$$

$$\mathbf{PROC}_0 = \mathbf{VEnv} \rightarrow \mathbf{PEnv} \rightarrow \mathbf{Store} \multimap (\mathbf{Store} + \{\text{??}\})$$

$$\mathcal{S}: \mathbf{Stmt} \rightarrow \underbrace{\mathbf{VEnv} \rightarrow \mathbf{PEnv} \rightarrow \mathbf{Store} \multimap (\mathbf{Store} + \{\text{??}\})}_{\mathbf{STMT}}$$

$$\mathcal{D}_P: \mathbf{PDecl} \rightarrow \underbrace{\mathbf{PEnv} \rightarrow (\mathbf{PEnv} + \{\text{??}\})}_{\mathbf{PDECL}}$$

Semantic clauses

$\mathcal{S}: Stmt \rightarrow STMT$

$\mathcal{S}[x := e] \rho_V \rho_P s = s[l \mapsto n]$ where $l = \rho_V x, n = \mathcal{E}[e] \rho_V s$

$\mathcal{S}[\text{skip}] \rho_V \rho_P = id_{\mathbf{Store}}$

$\mathcal{S}[S_1; S_2] \rho_V \rho_P = \mathcal{S}[S_1] \rho_V \rho_P ; \mathcal{S}[S_2] \rho_V \rho_P$

$\mathcal{S}[\text{if } b \text{ then } S_1 \text{ else } S_2] \rho_V \rho_P = cond(\mathcal{B}[b] \rho_V, \mathcal{S}[S_1] \rho_V \rho_P, \mathcal{S}[S_2] \rho_V \rho_P)$

$\mathcal{S}[\text{while } b \text{ do } S] \rho_V \rho_P =$

$cond(\mathcal{B}[b] \rho_V, \mathcal{S}[S] \rho_V \rho_P ; \mathcal{S}[\text{while } b \text{ do } S] \rho_V \rho_P, id_{\mathbf{Store}})$

$\mathcal{S}[\text{call } p] \rho_V \rho_P = P \rho_V \rho_P$ where $P = \rho_P p$

$\mathcal{S}[\text{begin } D_V D_P S \text{ end}] \rho_V \rho_P s =$

$\mathcal{S}[S] \rho'_V \rho'_P s'$ where $\langle \rho'_V, s' \rangle = \mathcal{D}_V[D_V] \rho_V s, \rho'_P = \mathcal{D}_P[D_P] \rho_P$

$\mathcal{D}_P[\varepsilon] = id_{\mathbf{PEnv}}$

$\mathcal{D}_P[\text{proc } p \text{ is } (S); D_P] \rho_P = \mathcal{D}_P[D_P] \rho_P[p \mapsto \mathcal{S}[S]]$

Recursion

```
begin var x;  
    proc NO is (if 101 ≤ x then x := x - 10  
                else (x := x + 11; call NO; call NO) );  
    x := 54;  
    call NO  
end
```

Semantic domains and functions

Static binding

$$\mathbf{PEnv} = \mathbf{IDE} \rightarrow (\mathbf{PROC}_0 + \{\text{?}\})$$

$$\mathbf{PROC}_0 = \mathbf{Store} \multimap (\mathbf{Store} + \{\text{?}\})$$

$$\mathcal{S}: \mathbf{Stmt} \rightarrow \underbrace{\mathbf{VEnv} \rightarrow \mathbf{PEnv} \rightarrow \mathbf{Store}}_{\mathbf{STMT}} \multimap (\mathbf{Store} + \{\text{?}\})$$

$$\mathcal{D}_P: \mathbf{PDecl} \rightarrow \underbrace{\mathbf{VEnv} \rightarrow \mathbf{PEnv}}_{\mathbf{PDECL}} \rightarrow (\mathbf{PEnv} + \{\text{?}\})$$

Semantic clauses

$\mathcal{S}: Stmt \rightarrow STMT$

$$\mathcal{S}[x := e] \rho_V \rho_P s = s[l \mapsto n] \text{ where } l = \rho_V x, n = \mathcal{E}[e] \rho_V s$$

$$\mathcal{S}[\text{skip}] \rho_V \rho_P = id_{\mathbf{Store}}$$

$$\mathcal{S}[S_1; S_2] \rho_V \rho_P = \mathcal{S}[S_1] \rho_V \rho_P ; \mathcal{S}[S_2] \rho_V \rho_P$$

$$\mathcal{S}[\text{if } b \text{ then } S_1 \text{ else } S_2] \rho_V \rho_P = cond(\mathcal{B}[b] \rho_V, \mathcal{S}[S_1] \rho_V \rho_P, \mathcal{S}[S_2] \rho_V \rho_P)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{S}[\text{while } b \text{ do } S] \rho_V \rho_P &= \\ &cond(\mathcal{B}[b] \rho_V, \mathcal{S}[S] \rho_V \rho_P ; \mathcal{S}[\text{while } b \text{ do } S] \rho_V \rho_P, id_{\mathbf{Store}}) \end{aligned}$$

$\mathcal{S}[\text{call } p] \rho_V \rho_P = P \text{ where } P = \rho_P p$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{S}[\text{begin } D_V D_P S \text{ end}] \rho_V \rho_P s &= \\ &\mathcal{S}[S] \rho'_V \rho'_P s' \text{ where } \langle \rho'_V, s' \rangle = \mathcal{D}_V[D_V] \rho_V s, \rho'_P = \mathcal{D}_P[D_P] \rho'_V \rho_P \end{aligned}$$

$\mathcal{D}_P: PDecl \rightarrow PDECL$

$$\mathcal{D}_P[\varepsilon] \rho_V = id_{\mathbf{PEnv}}$$

$\mathcal{D}_P[\text{proc } p \text{ is } (S); D_P] \rho_V \rho_P =$
 $\mathcal{D}_P[D_P] \rho_V \rho_P[p \mapsto P] \text{ where } P = \mathcal{S}[S] \rho_V \rho_P[p \mapsto P]$

Recursion

- Static binding, no recursive calls:

$$\mathcal{D}_P[\![\text{proc } p \text{ is } (S); D_P]\!] \rho_V \rho_P = \\ \mathcal{D}_P[\![D_P]\!] \rho_V \rho_P[p \mapsto P] \text{ where } P = \mathcal{S}[\![S]\!] \rho_V \rho_P$$

- Static binding, recursive calls permitted:

$$\mathcal{D}_P[\![\text{proc } p \text{ is } (S); D_P]\!] \rho_V \rho_P = \\ \mathcal{D}_P[\![D_P]\!] \rho_V \rho_P[p \mapsto P] \text{ where } P = \mathcal{S}[\![S]\!] \rho_V \rho_P[p \mapsto P]$$

or perhaps using fixed-point operator explicitly:

$$\mathcal{D}_P[\![\text{proc } p \text{ is } (S); D_P]\!] \rho_V \rho_P = \\ \mathcal{D}_P[\![D_P]\!] \rho_V \rho_P[p \mapsto \text{fix}(\Phi)] \text{ where } \Phi(P) = \mathcal{S}[\![S]\!] \rho_V \rho_P[p \mapsto P]$$

- Dynamic binding, recursion “for free” (though only seemingly so):

$$\mathcal{S}[\![\text{call } p]\!] \rho_V \rho_P = P \rho_V \rho_P \text{ where } P = \rho_P p \\ \mathcal{D}_P[\![\text{proc } p \text{ is } (S); D_P]\!] \rho_P = \mathcal{D}_P[\![D_P]\!] \rho_P[p \mapsto \mathcal{S}[\![S]\!]]$$

Parameters

Parameter passing:

- call by value
- call by variable
- call by name

We will do **static binding only**

$$S \in \text{Stmt} ::= \dots \mid \text{begin } D_V \ D_P \ S \ \text{end}$$
$$\quad \mid \text{call } p \mid \text{call } p(\text{vl } e) \mid \text{call } p(\text{vr } x) \mid \text{call } p(\text{nm } e)$$
$$D_V \in \text{VDecl} ::= \text{var } x; D_V \mid \varepsilon$$
$$D_P \in \text{PDecl} ::= \text{proc } p \text{ is } (S); D_P \mid \text{proc } p(\text{vl } x) \text{ is } (S); D_P$$
$$\quad \mid \text{proc } p(\text{vr } x) \text{ is } (S); D_P \mid \text{proc } p(\text{nm } x) \text{ is } (S); D_P \mid \varepsilon$$

Call by name

```
begin var sum; var i;  
  proc ADD(vl a,b,vr x,nm step,f)  
    is (sum := 0; x := a;  
        while x ≤ b do (sum := sum + f; x := step) );  
    call ADD(vl 1,10,vr i,nm i + 1,i);           {sum = 55}  
    call ADD(vl 1,10,vr i,nm 2 * i,i);           {sum = 15}  
    call ADD(vl 1,10,vr i,nm i + 2,i * i)      {sum = 165}  
end
```

Semantic domains

$$\mathbf{PEnv} = \mathbf{IDE} \rightarrow (\mathbf{PROC}_0 + \mathbf{PROC}_1^{\text{vl}} + \mathbf{PROC}_1^{\text{vr}} + \mathbf{PROC}_1^{\text{nm}} + \{\text{?}\})$$
$$\mathbf{PROC}_0 = \mathbf{Store} \multimap (\mathbf{Store} + \{\text{?}\})$$
$$\mathbf{PROC}_1^{\text{vl}} = \mathbf{Int} \rightarrow \mathbf{PROC}_0$$
$$\mathbf{PROC}_1^{\text{vr}} = \mathbf{Loc} \rightarrow \mathbf{PROC}_0$$
$$\mathbf{PROC}_1^{\text{nm}} = (\mathbf{Store} \rightarrow (\mathbf{Int} + \{\text{?}\})) \rightarrow \mathbf{PROC}_0$$

Semantic functions

As before:

$$\mathcal{S}: \text{Stmt} \rightarrow \underbrace{\text{VEnv} \rightarrow \text{PEnv} \rightarrow \text{Store} \rightsquigarrow (\text{Store} + \{\text{?}\})}_{\text{STMT}}$$

$$\mathcal{D}_P: \text{PDecl} \rightarrow \underbrace{\text{VEnv} \rightarrow \text{PEnv} \rightarrow (\text{PEnv} + \{\text{?}\})}_{\text{PDECL}}$$

Semantic clauses

No parameters

$$\mathcal{S}[\text{call } p] \rho_V \rho_P = P \text{ where } P = \rho_P p \in \mathbf{PROC}_0$$
$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{D}_P[\text{proc } p \text{ is } (S); D_P] \rho_V \rho_P = \\ \mathcal{D}_P[D_P] \rho_V \rho_P[p \mapsto P] \text{ where } P = \mathcal{S}[S] \rho_V \rho_P[p \mapsto P]\end{aligned}$$

Parameter called by value

$\mathcal{S}[\text{call } p(\mathbf{vl } e)] \rho_V \rho_P s = P n s$ where $P = \rho_P p \in \mathbf{PROC}_1^{\mathbf{vl}}$, $n = \mathcal{E}[e] \rho_V s$

$\mathcal{D}_P[\text{proc } p(\mathbf{vl } x) \text{ is } (S); D_P] \rho_V \rho_P =$

$\mathcal{D}_P[D_P] \rho_V \rho_P [p \mapsto P]$ where

$P n s = \mathcal{S}[S] \rho'_V \rho_P [p \mapsto P] s'$ where

$l = s \text{ next}, \rho'_V = \rho_V[x \mapsto l], s' = s[l \mapsto n, \text{next} \mapsto l + 1]$

Parameter called by variable

$$\mathcal{S}[\![\text{call } p(\text{vr } y)]\!] \rho_V \rho_P = P l \text{ where } P = \rho_P p \in \mathbf{PROC}_1^{\text{vr}}, \ l = \rho_V y$$
$$\mathcal{D}_P[\![\text{proc } p(\text{vr } x) \text{ is } (S); D_P]\!] \rho_V \rho_P =$$
$$\mathcal{D}_P[\![D_P]\!] \rho_V \rho_P[p \mapsto P] \text{ where } P l = \mathcal{S}[\![S]\!] \rho_V[x \mapsto l] \rho_P[p \mapsto P]$$

Parameter called by name

$\mathcal{S}[\text{call } p(\text{nm } e)] \rho_V \rho_P = P (\mathcal{E}[e] \rho_V) \text{ where } P = \rho_P p \in \text{PROC}_1^{\text{nm}}$

$\mathcal{D}_P[\text{proc } p(\text{nm } x) \text{ is } (S); D_P] \rho_V \rho_P =$

$\mathcal{D}_P[D_P] \rho_V \rho_P [p \mapsto P] \text{ where } P E = \mathcal{S}[S] \rho_V [x \mapsto E] \rho_P [p \mapsto P]$

OOOPS!

$\rho_V[x \mapsto E] \notin \text{VEnv}$

Corrections necessary!

$\text{VEnv} = \text{Var} \rightarrow (\text{Loc} + (\text{Store} \rightarrow (\text{Int} + \{\text{??}\})) + \{\text{??}\})$

$\mathcal{E}[x] \rho_V s = \text{let } v = \rho_V x \text{ in if } v \in \text{Loc} \text{ then } s v$
 $\text{if } v \in (\text{Store} \rightarrow (\text{Int} + \{\text{??}\})) \text{ then } v s$

This allows for evaluation of called-by-name parameters,
but not for assignments to variables passed in such a way